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Title: NEW GUANIDINE AND AMIDINE DERIVATIVES AS FACTOR Xa
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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 56 pages, including 1 independent claim and 48 claims total (as amended).
2. Certified copy of European Patent Application No. 00126750.9, filed December 6, 2000.
3. Preliminary Amendment

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4. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Application Filing Fee				\$740	\$ 740.00
	Number of Claims	Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	48	-	20	28	x \$18 504.00
Independent Claims	1	-	3		x \$84
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\$784.00 additional claims fee

This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).
Applicants await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for
filing the Declaration.

Applicants claim the right to priority based on European Patent Application No.
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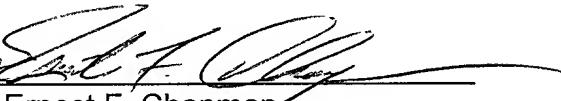
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application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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